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## **VIA ELECTRONIC FILING**

The Honorable Jocelyn G. Boyd Chief Clerk and Executive Director Public Service Commission of South Carolina 101 Executive Center Drive, Suite 100 Columbia, SC 29210

Re: Public Service Commission of South Carolina – Administrative and Procedural Matters

Docket No. 2005-83-A

Procedural Schedule for the Integrated Resource Plans (IRPs) Filed with the Public Service Commission
Docket No. 2022-162-E

Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC's 2023 Avoided Cost Proceeding Pursuant to S.C. Code Ann. Section 58-41-20(A) Docket No. 2023-16-E

Duke Energy Progress, LLC's 2023 Avoided Cost Proceeding Pursuant to S.C. Code Ann. Section 58-41-20(A)
Docket No. 2023-17-E

**Comments on Proposed Procedural Schedules** 

Dear Ms. Boyd:

Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC ("DEC") and Duke Energy Progress, LLC ("DEP") (together the "Companies") submit these joint comments following the Forum held on June 15, 2022 in the above-referenced dockets regarding the procedural schedules for certain upcoming proceedings.

Consistent with the comments filed by the Companies on June 1, 2022, the draft procedural schedule for the Companies' 2023 Avoided Cost Proceeding (Docket Nos. 2023-16-E and 2023-17-E) included in the Notice is consistent with the Companies' expectations for that proceeding and the Companies consent to that procedural schedule. As raised at the June 15, 2022 Forum, the Companies plan to file their 2023 Integrated Resource Plans ("IRPs") on August 15, 2023 rather than on September 5, 2023 as reflected in the draft proposed schedule posted by the Clerk's office

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in these dockets, and otherwise consents to the proposed schedule. The Companies collaborated with the Office of Regulatory Staff ("ORS") on revised proposed fuel procedural schedules for the Commission's consideration and will be filing feedback in Docket 2005-83-A soon.

The Companies appreciate the opportunity to share their perspective on the avoided cost and IRP procedural schedules and intend to file responsive comments no later than August 12, 2022 as related to these matters.

Kind regards,

Sam Wellborn

cc: parties of record (via electronic mail)